

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

May 8, 2001

<u>CERTIFIED MAIL</u> <u>RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED</u>

John Hicks 29 Oakland Avenue Warwick, NY 10990

RE: MUR 5016

Dear Mr. Hicks:

On May 16, 2000, the Federal Election Commission received your complaint alleging certain violations of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended ("the Act").

After considering the circumstances of this matter, the Commission has determined to exercise its prosecutorial discretion and to take no action against the respondents. See attached narrative. Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter on May 2, 2001. This matter will become part of the public record within 30 days.

The Act allows a complainant to seek judicial review of the Commission's dismissal of this action. See 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(8).

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Sincerely

Supervisory Attorney

Central Enforcement Docket

Attachment Narrative